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 PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: STEIN, Allen R.)
 Serial No.: 10/072,032)
 Filed: February 7, 2002)
 For: "DISPLAY RACK WITH)
 MULTIPLE BOARD SIZE")

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December 5, 2003

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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 5, 2003, please amend the above-referenced patent application as follows and consider the remarks below. This Response is believed to be timely. However, in the event that any extension of time is required, please consider this a request therefor. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees due or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-1513.

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being submitted via facsimile to the Commissioner for Patents at (703) 872-9306, on the date indicated below.

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RECORD OF INTERVIEW

A telephonic interview was conducted between applicant's undersigned counsel and Examiner Novosad on December 2, 2003. Claims 23 and 24 were discussed in view of the references of record, including U.S. Patent No. 5,133,665 to Engel et al and U.S. Patent No. 4,331,245 to Schell. Agreement was reached that amendment of the claims as set forth herein would overcome the present claim rejections in view of the Engel et al reference, and that the art of record does not read on the claims as amended herein.

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